

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number: 29627.0006



In re Application of Alan L. Everett

Application Number 09/761,624

Filed January 17, 2001

For Precision Dispensing Tip and Method

Group Art Unit 3752

Examiner C. Kim

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))           | \$ _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))           | \$ _____  |

- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 210
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I am the  applicant/inventor.

- assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96)
- attorney or agent of record.
- attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). \_\_\_\_\_

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September 24, 2004

Date

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Martin G. Linihan

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■ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$210.00)**Attorney Docket Number** 29627.0006

<b>METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)</b>		<b>FEE CALCULATION (continued)</b>																																		
<input type="checkbox"/> Check <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card <input type="checkbox"/> Money Order <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> None <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deposit Account: Deposit Account Number: 08-2442 Deposit Account Name: Hodgson Russ LLP <b>The Director is hereby authorized to (check all that apply)</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge fee(s) indicated below <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any fee deficiencies or credit any overpayments <input type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional fees during pendency of this application. <input type="checkbox"/> Charge fees indicated below, except for the filing fee to the above-identified deposit account		<b>3. ADDITIONAL FEES</b> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2"><b>Large Entity</b></th> <th colspan="2"><b>Small Entity</b></th> <th colspan="2"></th> </tr> <tr> <th>Fee Code</th> <th>Fee (\$)</th> <th>Fee Code</th> <th>Fee (\$)</th> <th colspan="2">Fee Description</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1051</td> <td>130</td> <td>2051</td> <td>65</td> <td colspan="2">Surcharge - late filing fee or oath</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1052</td> <td>50</td> <td>2052</td> <td>25</td> <td colspan="2">Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1053</td> <td>130</td> <td>1053</td> <td>130</td> <td colspan="2">Non-English specification</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>					<b>Large Entity</b>		<b>Small Entity</b>				Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description		1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath		1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet		1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
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<b>FEE CALCULATION</b>		1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination																														
<b>1. BASIC FILING FEE</b> <del>Large Entity</del> <del>Small Entity</del> Fee Code (\$) Fee Code (\$) Fee Description Fee Paid		1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting Publication of SIR prior to Examiner Action																														
		1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting Publication of SIR after Examiner Action																														
1001	770	2001	385	Utility filing fee	\$ 1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month																											
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1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee	\$ 1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month																											
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	\$ 1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month																											
<b>SUBTOTAL (1)</b>		\$0	1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal																													
<b>2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY/ REISSUE</b> <del>Extra</del> <del>Fee from</del> <del>Claims</del> <del>below</del> Total Claims / / -20** = / / x / / =		Fee Paid	1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal																													
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<b>SUBTOTAL (2)</b>		\$0	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)																													
<b>SUBMITTED BY:</b>		Reg. No. 2496	1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection(37 CFR 1.129(a))																													
<b>SIGNATURE</b>		Martin G. Linihan	1810	770	2810	385	For each add'l invention to be examined(37 CFR 1.129(b))																													
DATE: September 24, 2004		Telephone: (716) 848-1367	1801	770	2801	385	Request For Continued Examination (RCE)																													
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